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“SIMULTANEOUS ISOLATION AND
QUANTITATION OF DNA”

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 15, 2006, in which a supplemental requirement for restriction was made, Applicants elect, without traverse, siliceous-oxide coated magnetic particles, genomic DNA, and forensic sample. Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2.

Remarks begin at page 5.